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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT OPERATIONS

In re Application of:)
Giovanni Meazza et al .) Group Art Unit: 1624
Serial No.: 10/536,485) Examiner: Murray, Jeffrey H.
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For: NEW URACILS HAVING A HERBICIDAL ACTIVITY

New York, NY 10036
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Office
Action that was mailed February 23, 2009. Kindly amend the
subject application as follows: